THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Fair Saturday and Sunday; temperature warmer; moderate westerly winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

SUN AND TIDE
Sun Rises..... 4.57
Sun Sets..... 6.36
High Tide.....11.51 am
High Tide.....11.51 pm
Moon Sets..... 7.11 pm

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HEADING TO FRENCH FRONTIER

CAUSE OF DEATH STILL A MYSTERY

County Officials Still Puzzled Over the Death of John F. Norris of Epping

Mystery still surrounds the death of John F. Norris of West Epping, whose house on the Raymond road was burned at an early hour Thursday morning. The badly charred body of Norris was found lying outside of the barn and nearby a double barreled shot gun, with one shell exploded.

County Solicitor Guptill and Sheriff Spinney have spent the past two days at West Epping making an examination, but as yet have reached no conclusion, owing to the fact that it has been learned from those acquainted with Norris that he was mentally unbalanced and had been acting queerly of late. He also complained of being in poor bodily health, claiming to be troubled with appendicitis.

While there are reports that he stood in fear of his life from certain parties, it is believed by the county officials that this was a fancy due to his disordered mind.

While the county officials are pursuing their investigation on conservative lines, the residents of Epping are almost to a man of the opnion that Norris was murdered and his buildings set afire.

A correspondent for an up state paper has the following to say:

"The theory of suicide is still further removed from a possibility by an examination of the premises, which showed that in addition to the fact that the shot gun was 15 feet distant from the burned body, there was also a low snow fence between and it would have been impossible for Norris to have thrown the weapon that distance over such an obstacle after the fatal shot was fired had he done it himself.

"Positive proof has been established that Norris had accumulated a large amount of money and also that he had not banked a cent of it for many months. It is absolutely believed by the authorities that this large sum was concealed in the house and that the murder was committed by some person familiar with the habits of the victim and that after the crime had been committed, the house was ransacked and the money found and taken.

"As late as last Wednesday, Norris is known to have had in his possession a large roll of bills and it is further gleaned that several persons were present when he unintentially displayed it after making a purchase.

"It is believed that on the night he met his death, he was followed to his home by one or more persons who were intent on robbery, and that when he appeared at the door with the shot gun in hand a fierce fight ensued with

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FORTY-EIGHT CARDINALS TO BE PRESENT

Now on Their Way to Rome and Seventeen Others to Be Heard From.

(Special to The Herald)

Rome, Aug. 22.—Cardinal Della Volima, chamberlain of the Roman Catholic church, who is the directing head of the church since the death of Pope Pius X., today stated that he had received word from fifteen members of the Holy See that they are on their way or preparing to start for the conclave that will elect a successor to Pius X.

These fifteen Cardinals together with the thirty-three in Rome make fifty-eight that will be in attendance at this important conclave and seventeen others are yet to be heard from.

JAPANESE FLEET OFF FOR GERMAN PORT

(Special to The Herald)

Shanghai, Aug. 22.—A Japanese battleship fleet has sailed to bombard the seaport of Kiao-Chow and cover the landing of Japanese troops, according to official information secured in Shanghai today. Sixteen thousand of the 10th division of the Japanese army will be the first troops landed. They have already sailed from Kohura.

OUIMET AMONG GOLF LEADERS

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Francis Ouimet, title holder with 220; Tom McNamara of Boston with 219 and Louis Teller, of Canoe Brook, with 221, lead the golfers remaining in national open tournament at the end of the third round today, with about one third of the players to be heard from.

Mrs. Fannie Trueman is enjoying a few weeks at Yarmouth, Me.

German Troops Are Sweeping Over Central Belgium in Large Numbers

War With Germany an Accepted Fact in Tokio.—Berlin Officially Announces that Important War News May be Looked for Soon.—Last of German Reservists Called to Colors

(Special to The Herald)

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 22.—War with Germany and the seizure of Kiao Chow are taken as assured facts by the Tokio newspapers today. They discuss at length the territory held by the Germans for several years. Those who usually speak with authority intimate that the return of Kiao-Chow to China would be necessary if Germany yielded it without a struggle, but if it had to be taken by force of arms it would be considered a prize of war.

GERMAN ARMY COVERS MANY MILES

(Special to The Herald)

Rosendaven, Aug. 22.—Within the past three days the great German army has marched ninety miles through Central Belgium, occupying Brussels, the capital, Louvain and Ghent, and is still sweeping westward to the French frontier.

More than 40,000 German troops have passed by Brussels to press on to Ghent and beyond to Ostend and Bruges.

GERMAN VICTORIES ARE ANNOUNCED

(Special to The Herald)

Berlin, Aug. 22.—Official announcement was made today that the German army had met with a series of successes against the allies. No details have been given of the fights. The News Agency further announced that "Important news may be looked for very soon."

News of the occupation of Louvain by the German troops caused the wildest enthusiasm in this city. Patriotic demonstrations are taking place on all sides.

ALL RESERVISTS CALLED TO THE COLORS

(Special to The Herald)

Copenhagen, Aug. 22.—Germany has called to the colors all of the last reservists. Many of these reservists are more than 60 years of age and are veterans of the Franco-German war. Under this new call 660,000 men are available.

GERMAN CAVALRY CUTTING WIRES

(Special to The Herald)

London, Aug. 22.—The Antwerp correspondent of the Reuter's Telegram Co. in a dispatch dated Friday says:

"I learned from a reliable source that German cavalry patrols appeared today at Malines, 13 miles southeast of Antwerp, where there was a skirmish. Our troops in armed automobiles took 10 German prisoners.

"A strong advance guard of German cavalry left Brussels today, proceeding northward, supposedly for Ghent. The Uhlans everywhere are cutting telegraph and telephone lines.

"The burgomasters of rural communities are disarming civil guards, in order to prevent the enemy from firing on a peaceable population."

LITTLE KNOWN OF TROOP MOVEMENTS

(Special to The Herald)

London, Aug. 22.—Very little has become known of the operations of the early week which put the German army between the Belgian forces and their French allies and enabled the Germans to occupy Brussels.

It is supposed the Germans must have brought up very strong forces behind their cavalry screens, and that a severe battle must have been fought to compel the Belgians to abandon Brussels and retire on Antwerp.

No information is available as to whether the Germans now intend to devote themselves to the task of reducing Antwerp or to an endeavor to force their way southward into France.

It seems, however, that the determination is to attack the Belgian army of some 150,000 men, who are still in or around Antwerp.

The Germans already are advancing in the direction of Ghent. They have occupied Alost, fifteen miles northwest of Brussels, and Wetteren, eight miles southeast of Ghent, and apparently intend to overrun the whole of Northern Belgium to the sea.

Cavalry patrols have been seen as far as Mechlin, 14 miles southeast of Antwerp, and it may be expected before long to hear that the Germans have occupied Ghent and Bruges, and possibly Ostend.

If, however, this is their decision, a clear invasion of France through Belgium must still be much longer delayed.

The German general has imposed a tax of $40,000,000 on the city of Brussels.

BELGIAN REFUGEES ARRIVE IN ENGLAND

(Special to The Herald)

London, Aug. 22. The British and Belgian refugees who left Ostend before the city was occupied by the Germans, arrived at Folkspone on the steamer "Hapide," which was the last vessel to depart from the Belgian port for the English coast. They said that the Belgian children were playing happily in the sands as the Germans approached and that Belgium's flags were flying from the hotel windows. Most of the passengers on the steamer were British subjects, whom the Belgian authorities had given special facilities for departure.

GERMANS CLAIM MAGNIFICENT VICTORY

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—General Charge de Affairs Von Helmhausen today announced that he had received an official message from Berlin that the Germans had won a "magnificent victory" in a battle between the Metz and Vosges mountains.

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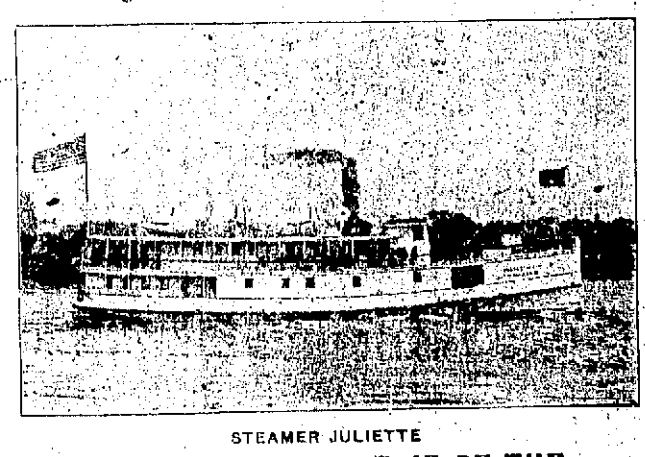

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NOTE.—Sunday Boat Schedule as usual, leaving Portsmouth at 11.20 A. M., returning at 3.20 P. M.

HEAVY RAIN MAKES CHANGE IN THE GOLF TOURNAMENT

A strike on the part of the semi finalist for the Farragut trophy at the Abenaqui Golf Club invitation tournament on Friday afternoon, resulted in a change of program and the semi finals will be played this forenoon and the finals will be eighteen holes instead of thirty-six. The strike came about over the heavy shower. When the different pairs started for the afternoon round, it was dark and threatening and while everybody was prepared they were not looking for a deluge, which broke in the shape of a shower soon after the start. The semi finalists were C. W. Bass and J. P. Guilford in the upper half and W. R. Thurston and S. Stickney in the lower half. The first two had reached the fifth hole and the latter the third when the storm broke and they sought shelter in the tool house to wait for it to let up. It was almost a cloud burst and it rained in torrents. For an hour they waited and by this time some of the greens were almost flooded and there was standing water all over the course. They finally decided that it would be poor golf at the best and they came back to the club house and informed the golf committee of the decision to play the semi finals this morning and the finals in the afternoon and the golf committee good naturedly allowed them to have their way.

In the meanwhile the other players were plugging along in the rain and they were some wet when they arrived at the club house, and some sore when they found that the first division bunch had got out of the wet.

The match of the day was that of J. P. Guilford the New Hampshire champion and G. H. Lyall of Melrose, Guilford winning by three and two. It was a good match with some very fine golf on the part of both players. One of the surprises was the defeat of James L. Bachelder of the Abenaqui by W. R. Thurston.

In the second sixteen P. O. Badger of this city is in the finals with Dr. G. M. Hamil and in the third sixteen H. J. Steward and N. Wainwright are the finalists.

The summary:

Farragut Cup

Second Round

J. P. Guilford defeated G. H. Lyall 3--2.

C. W. Bass defeated E. G. Parker 3--2.

S. Stickney defeated W. E. Smith 2 up.

W. R. Thurston defeated J. L. Bachelder 4--2.

Second Sixteen

Second Round

Dr. G. M. Hamil, defeated W. H. Young 3 2.

J. E. Geraghty defeated F. M. Cleveland 1 up, 19 holes.

P. O. Badger defeated C. L. Lanigan 1 up.

A. F. Cooper defeated E. E. Jackson 5--4.

Semi Finals

Dr. G. M. Hamil defeated J. E. Geraghty 2 up

P. O. Badger defeated A. F. Cooper 1 up, 19 holes.

Third Sixteen

Second Round

A. T. Fuller defeated A. E. McMurrey by default.

N. Wainwright defeated C. W. Hunnington 4--3.

H. J. Steward defeated H. J. Robertson Jr., 2--1.

W. A. Africa defeated F. C. Donovan 2 up.

Semi Finals

N. Wainwright defeated A. T. Fuller 3 2.

H. J. Steward defeated W. A. Africa 2 up.

Defeated Eight

First Sixteen

T. F. Flanagan defeated G. H. Hutters 1 up, 19 holes.

Robin McDonald defeated A. C. Dale by default.

C. S. Greeley defeated R. D. McDonough 1 up.

R. M. Maker defeated Percy Parker, Jr., 2--1.

TO START 25,000 HOMEWARD SOON

Washington, Aug. 21.—Removal of 25,000 war-marooned Americans from Europe within the next fortnight was predicted today by Secretary of War Garrison. By Oct. 1, he said, all who desired to leave immediately would be at sea "homeward bound."

Dispatch of 10 army transports, being outfitted for passenger refugee service in Hampton Roads, next Monday or Tuesday, to various European ports is planned. Ten foreign vessels, chartered yesterday, and the fleet of regular passenger vessels will make ample room available, Secretary Garrison said.

The government relief board today turned its attention toward a plan to get Americans out of Germany, Austria and Switzerland. There are 10,000 in Germany, 2200 in Austria and 1500 in Switzerland. American diplomatic officers were cabled regarding the best routes to transport these war refugees to seaports.

"Red tape" tangled between the state war and treasury departments was said today by officials to be responsible for complaints of Americans in London for delay in payment of money deposited by friends or relatives here. Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge in London with the "gold ship" North Carolina was rushing payments as fast as identifications of payees were received, it was stated.

WAR ON SERVIA "MEAN," CZAR WROTE KAISER

William Said His Efforts to Keep Peace Had Reached Their Limit

London, Aug. 21. The letters which passed between the Czar Nicholas and the Kaiser before the declarations of war have been published in Berlin and sent to the London Daily News. They show the irreconcilable differences of opinion which set at variance all possibilities of peace. These letters follow:

The Kaiser to the Czar, July 28:

"I have learned with the greatest concern of the impression which Austria-Hungary's action against Servia has made in your empire. The unscrupulous agitation which had been fostered in Servia for years has led to the detestable crime of which the Archduke Ferdinand was the victim. The spirit in which the Servians murdered their own King and Queen is still alive in that country. You will no doubt agree with me that we too, you and I, as well as all sovereigns, have a common interest in insisting that all those who are morally responsible for the horrible crime should receive the punishment they deserve.

"On the other hand, I by no means ignore the difficulty which you and your government meet in resisting the pressure of public opinion. Remembering the strong ties of cordial friendship which have for so long united us I am using all my influence to induce Austria-Hungary to seek a frank and satisfactory understanding with Russia. I confidently hope that you will support my efforts to remove all the difficulties that may yet arise.

"Your very sincere and devoted friend and cousin.

"WILLIAM."

Czar Calls It a "Mean" War

To this the Czar replied on July 29:

"I am glad that you are back in Germany at this grave moment. I urgently ask you to assist me. A mean war has been declared upon a weak country. The indignation, which I share to the full, is in Russia enormous.

"I can forsee that I shall soon be unable to resist the pressure which is being brought upon me and shall be compelled to take measures which will lead to war. In order to avert a calamity such as a European war would be I ask you in the name of our old friendship to do everything possible to prevent your ally from proceeding too far.

"NICHOLAS."

On July 29 the Kaiser again telegraphed:

"I have received your telegram and share your desire for the maintenance of peace. At the same time, as I told you in my first telegram, I cannot regard Austria-Hungary's action as a 'mean' war. Austria-Hungary knows from experience that Servia's promises, so long as they remain only on paper, cannot altogether be relied upon. In my view, Austria-Hungary's action ought to be considered as an attempt to obtain a full guarantee that Servia's promises would also be translated into action. In this view I am confirmed by the declaration of the Austrian cabinet that Austria-Hungary is seeking no territorial conquest at the expense of Servia. I therefore think that it is perfectly possible for Russia to maintain the attitude of a spectator in face of the Austro-Servian war without dragging Europe into the most terrible war she has ever experienced.

"I believe that a direct understanding between your government and Vienna is possible and desirable—an understanding which, as I have already telegraphed you, my government is trying to encourage with all the means at its disposal.

"Naturally, military measures on the part of Russia which Austria-Hungary could regard as a menace would precipitate the disaster which we had the wish to avoid, and would also undermine my position as an intermediary, which I, in reply to your appeal to my friendship and assistance, have readily assumed.

"WILLIAM."

The Final Letters

The last two letters are thus given by the Daily Chronicle:

From Czar to Kaiser:

"I thank thee from my heart for thy mediation, which leaves a gleam of Thy most devoted Nicholas."

possible to discontinue our military the calamity which threatens the whole gotiations with Austria regarding Servia continue my troops will not undertake any provocative action. I give thee my word upon it. I trust with all my strength in God's grace, and I hope for the success of thy mediation. They most devoted Nicholas."

From Kaiser to Czar:

"My efforts to maintain the peace of the world have reached their limit. It will not be I who am responsible for the alamity which threatens the whole civilized world. Even at this moment it lies in thy power to avert it. Nobody threatens the honor and power of Russia, which could well have waited for the result of my mediation. The friendship which I inherited from my grandfather on his deathbed for thee and thy kingdom has always been holy to me. I have remained true to Russia. The peace of Europe can still be maintained by thee if Russia decides to cease her military measures which threaten Germany and Austria-Hungary."

Mr. Frank D. Butler is taking a short vacation at his summer home at Wallis Sands.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child the chances are that it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

Sallee Believes that He Earns His Money by Left-Handed Twirling

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—"Slim" Sallee, the elongated southpaw who puzzles opposing hatters for the Cardinals, is a pretty good batter, but he is not trying to fatten his batting average. He hits the ball if he has to, but he does not hurry going to first, and once he is there he stays until forced to move. When a fan recently yelled to him, "Why don't you run?" Sallee replied, "I'm too lazy." Sallee believes in conserving his strength for use in the box. He will bat if he has to and will run when a run is needed, but with his team a few tallies ahead he merely goes through the formality of batting.

DAILY SPORT LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke)

New York, Aug. 22.—The European war means that the Olympic games will not be played in Berlin in 1916. Either they will be shifted to the United States or cancelled altogether. The latter seems the most likely happening.

If the war should drag along until 1916 it seems certain that none of the European powers engaged in the strife would have time to think about such junk too battles as those staged at the Olympic doings. And even if it wanted to send a team it probably couldn't because by that time some of their best little athletes may be shot full of holes.

Should war be over before the end of this year it's possible that the games will be played, but not in Berlin. Fancy a bunch of Frenchmen, Englishmen or Russians invading the Kaiser's domain and devoting themselves exclusively to peaceful sports. Imagine the German residents of Berlin hiring a brass band to herald the arrival of some of their present day enemies.

One needn't stretch the imagination very much to figure out what would happen if all the athletes got together and someone started a discussion concerning the merits of the different armies and navies.

The officials who have charge of the Olympic doings for 1916 refused to state definitely whether the games will be transferred or postponed indefinitely. But it is known that hey view the possibility of holding the 1916 Olympic games in Berlin as hopeless.

The Browns, used to a free and easy life, didn't take very kindly at first to the Y. M. C. A. methods that Branch Rickey put into force as soon as he took over the managerial reins. But they've gotten used to them now, and most of them are willing to admit that Rickey's rules that sends a player to bed at a certain hour every afternoon is a good one for the player's general health and general good.

Refraining from poker and other little gambling games was another hardship for the Brownies, but they have overcome their gaming instincts—at least while Rickey is around.

The Browns this year are higher up in the race than they have been for years and years and years. Whether the improvement is due to Rickey's new rules, or whether it's just a natural improvement that has come through infusion of new blood is a question. In the meantime, Rickey gets the credit.

The Cardinals have on their roster a pitcher who wears glasses. His name is Lee Meadows, a giant right hander, who hails from Durham, N. C. He will report to the Cards later in the season.

Despite the fact that Meadows is compelled to wear glasses while at work he has been pitching wonderful baseball, and was sought after by a number of big league clubs, but the Cards inabbed him.

ORCHARD DAY AT STATE COLLEGE

Orchard Day at the New Hampshire College Experiment Station will be observed on Thursday, August 27 and with the following program:

10.30 a. m. Relation of Bees to Orcharding.
Prof. W. H. Wolff

11.00 a. m. Orchard Demonstration Work in Hillsboro County,
Benjamin Richardson, Orchard demonstrator, Hillsboro County.

11.30 a. m. New Hampshire College
Dr. E. T. Fairchild
President N. H. College

BASKET PICNIC

2.00 p. m. Inspection of Orchard Experiments,
Prof. J. H. Gourley

3.00 p. m. Profits from Orcharding
Prof. Geo. A. Yeaton
Orchard Demonstrator, Oxford County, Maine.

4.00 p. m. Extension Work Conducted by New Hampshire College and What it Should Mean to New Hampshire Agriculture.
J. C. Kendall
Director, Extension Work

Morning program will be held at the College. Afternoon program will take place in the Woodman Orchard, Packers Falls, about four miles from the College. Arrangements will be made to transport those who are without conveyance.

During the past season there has been a test made of various spray materials in the Woodman Orchard and results are evident at this time.

Cultural and fertilizer tests have been conducted in this orchard by the Station during the last seven years and the work will be explained at the meeting.

All who are interested in orcharding are most cordially invited to attend this meeting.

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PLENTY OF WHEAT FOR SWITZERLAND

Washington, Aug. 21.—More than 1,000,000 bushels of American wheat are on the way to Switzerland in British bottoms, a shipment of three cargoes having been arranged by Dr. Charles Mapsher, in charge of the legation here.

Arrangements have been made to allow the passage through France and Italy of foodstuffs intended for Switzerland.

The legation has little fear that the cargoes will be taken by Great Britain although she could do so, provided payment were made.

At the British embassy it was said England did not need more foodstuffs than she was procuring.

WILL TRY DEEP SEA FISHING

A party of fifteen or twenty business men of Manchester will come to this city on Sunday where they have arranged for a fishing trip off the Isles of Shoals.

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One More Neutral Power Forced To War

BY HOP

JAPAN WILL STRIKE QUICK ON SUNDAY

Tokio, Aug. 21.—Japan is ready to strike Germany. Only a complete back down by the Kaiser can prevent hostilities at Kiaochau. The ultimatum expires on Sunday. That Germany will consent to turn her territory over to Japan, or even to China, and to dismantle her warships in the Orient is considered very unlikely. So certain are the Japanese officials that the decision at Berlin will be for war that a fleet is already waiting near the Shantung peninsula for wireless orders. Troops are also on transports, but the government prohibits any information as to their location or their number.

Japanese officials believe the German warships in the east will attempt to do as much damage as possible to the Japanese fleet at long range while remaining under the protection of the German land forts as much as possible.

Japanese Realize Task

There is no disposition on the part of the Japanese officials to minimize the task ahead. The Kiaochau forts are modern and they are equipped with magnificent artillery, the latest product of the big Krupp fatories. Foreseeing the war and the possible Japanese complications, the Germans have laid in a good supply of ammunition and have foodstuffs enough to withstand a protracted siege.

Every effort is being made to impress upon the Japanese people the admiration and respect the government has for the United States. The faction which in the past has bitterly opposed the United States and demanded that Japan assume an aggressive policy on the California anti-alien land laws, has been completely squelched. By direct orders of the foreign office the Japanese newspapers whose policies are dictated by the government, give particular prominence to the fact that the United States has been asked to act for Japan in Berlin in the event of hostilities.

No Designs on Samoa

Denials from both Premier Okuma and Foreign Minister Kato that Japan has any idea of territorial aggression in Samoa are prominently displayed. The suggestion cabled from the United States that Japan wanted German Samoa because of its strategic location when the Panama canal was considered has been attacked directly by the premier. He insisted in an authorized interview today that the only reason for Japanese interference in the struggle now occupying Europe's attention was to insure that the commerce of the Orient would not be interfered with. And the premier insisted that Japan had no intention of retaining Germany's leased territory, but planned to restore it to China.

LOCAL YOUNG DENTIST RECEIVES APPOINTMENT

New Forsyth Appointments

Twenty-one of the most prominent physicians and dentists of the country have received appointments to the staff of the new Forsyth Dental Infirmary for children, which is to open this fall.

The appointments as announced by the infirmary officials are as follows: Director, Dr. H. DeWitt Cross; assistant director, Dr. William Z. Hill of Philadelphia, who has been connected with the dental department of Girard College for three years and is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, consulting Roentgenologist, Dr. A. W. George; Roentgenologist, Dr. Albert Kinley, who is a graduate of Mt. Hermon Academy and Tufts Dental School and formerly was X-ray expert of the Graco Hospital; oral surgeons, Dr. Harry B. Shuman, Dr. L. M. S. Miner, Dr. B. Stront; permanent staff for full time, Dr. Andrew P. Bulger, Dr. Dwight R. Clement, Dr. Raymond B. Hanrahan, Dr. Harold F. Hart, Dr. J. Warren Holl, Dr. Joseph A. Kelly, Dr. George F. Marsh, Dr. Harrison A. Parker, Dr. J. Mark Smith, Dr. Robert A. Spratt, Dr. Henry F. Stevenson, Dr. Daniel J. O'Mara, Dr. Joseph A. Manning, Dr. George P. Pendleton and Dr. Lawrence M. Staples.

Dr. Staples was a member of the graduating class of 1911 of the Portsmouth High School and is a recent graduate of the Tufts College Dental School. Dr. Staples will return to Boston to begin his new duties about the middle of September.

LITTLE GIRL.

Little girl, you look so small,
Don't you wear no clothes at all?
Don't you wear no shimmy-shirt?
Don't you wear no petty-skirt?
Just your corset and your hose,
Are those all of your underclothes?

Little girl, when on the street,
You appear to be all feet,
With your dress so very tight,
You surely are an awful sight,
Nothing on to keep you warm,
Crazy just to show your form.

Little girl, you won't live long,
Just because you dress all wrong.
Can't you wear more underclothes
Than your corset and your hose?
After a while I do believe
You will dress like Mother Eve
— Canadian Exchange.

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SENATE PASSES WAR INSURANCE RISK BILL

Washington, Aug. 21.—The Senate passed today after two hours debate the emergency war risk insurance bill carrying an appropriation of $5,000,000 for the purpose of insuring American vessels and cargoes against the hazards of war.

The bill was amended by unanimous consent before passage, the provision that rates of insurance be fixed on an equality with those imposed by belligerent nations which employ government insurance being stricken out.

President Wilson discussed the war risk insurance bill this morning with Senators Shivelcy, Saulsbury and Martin and with several members of the House. He expressed a desire that the proposed legislation be enacted as soon as possible. The President is not committed to any detailed plan as to the proposal that the Government purchase ships to move American crops to Europe. Senator Clark of Arkansas worked on a bill last night and hoped to have it ready for introduction tomorrow.

BUSINESS WORLD AMAZED

Policy of Federal Ship Line Declared to Have Damped Private Initiative in the Purchase of Foreign-Built Ships.

Washington, Aug. 21.—While the war risk insurance bill bids fair to pass Congress with ease, on the understanding that the law shall not be operative unless insurance at reasonable rates is not available, and that contraband goods shall not be covered, the President's plan for a $25,000,000 bond issue with which to buy ships will be sharply criticised in the Senate. It is coming to light every day, through telegrams to senators and others, that the business world is amazed by the sudden abandonment of the policy embodied in the ship registry law, which is not a week old. The primary purpose of this legislation was to induce foreign shipowners to transfer their vessels to the American flag and it is now pointed out that just as they were seeking ways and means to do this the Administration, without advice or forewarning, swings in with a new policy which completely destroys the first.

Evidence has been presented here to show that steamship officials already were trying to arrange for transfers but they have now ordered their agents to cease all efforts to arrange for purchases and the financing thereof. The ships being considered for purchase were not of the largest class, like the great transatlantic liners, but they were ample for the trade they would enter, and at least one great American corporation was planning to buy one or more fleets adapted to its particular business. Agents for the foreign vessels are now offering them to the Government, their other prospective customers having withdrawn from the negotiations the moment the President's plan was announced.

The Administration however, will press for the passage of the new bill, unmoved by the suggestions being made at the White House by senators that even $25,000,000 would be only a drop in the bucket toward the upbuilding of an American merchant marine worthy of the name.

The suggestion of Solicitor Lansing, made to the naval affairs' committee yesterday, that the President's ship buying plan contains some of the elements of a violation of strict neutrality has proved disquieting and will lead to a very searching scrutiny of the whole scheme before it is approved in the Senate.

The next step in the maritime program of the Administration will be to secure a revision of the navigation laws, like that recommended at the recent conference of business men. Among other changes it is desired to revise the system of measuring ships by permitting certain deductions of space now allowable under the British system; to permit alien officers to serve on American ships while making application for citizenship and to provide for smaller crews than the present rigorous navigation laws now allow American ships to carry. All these changes are likely to be favored by the employers, but some of them will arouse the bitter hostility of the labor and seamen's unions which have been better served by American than by foreign shipping laws.

UNITED STATES TO KEEP HANDS OFF IN THE EAST

Washington, Aug. 21.—The United States will keep hands off the far eastern situation, according to authoritative information from high administration sources today.

While receipt of a note from China, asking the United States to act as trustee of Kiaochau was officially disclaimed by the administration today, it was apparent that the administration knows of China's desires in this matter and that it intends to remain aloof, unless there is a general request for such action and one which could not possibly be misinterpreted by any of the warring nations.

"That the United States would not view with indifference any interference with the present territorial status quo of China or any change in the character of the occupation of the Pacific Islands," Senator Gallinger introduced a resolution this afternoon and asked that it be referred to the foreign relations committee.

While it is not believed that President Wilson will authorize a flat rejection of the Chinese proposal, it is understood that he will set conditions which are hardly likely to be met. It is thought that if he consents to consider the proposition at all it will be necessary for Japan, Germany and China to agree in writing to the proposal plan of avoiding hostilities between Japan and Germany in the far east.

The belief is strong in many quarters here that Japan would under no circumstances agree to the suggestion even if Germany were disposed to surrender her valuable base without a fight.

Officials here realize that the situation in the Orient is an extremely delicate one, and are inclined to believe that the less the United States figures in the controversy the better able it will be to maintain absolute neutrality.

POLICE NEWS.

There were five drunks, two for safe keeping, one reckless driving and two on suspicion on the police blotter last night. A chauffeur who was running wild on Thursday was placed under arrest. Two on suspicion were picked up while attempting to pawn a watch.

NOTICE.

Anyone wishing to enter the parade to be held in Newington, Labor Day, Sept. 7, under the auspices of the Pisctaqua Grange Committee, be at the Gravel Pit at the Junction of the Ham and Greenland roads by 10 a. m. to form in line. For further information telephone 570. R. C. Margeson, Chairman.

SPECIAL TRIP TO THE SHOALS

A special trip of the steamer Juliette to the Isles of Shoals will be made Sunday at 9 o'clock to accommodate those wishing to make a long day at the island, and also that local people will not be crowded out by the excursion from Manchester which goes at the regular time.

HEAVY FALL OF RAIN IN A SHORT TIME

A heavy shower with a fall of rain, which was the greatest for the same length of time this year, broke over the city shortly after three o'clock Friday. Dark clouds set in and it was as dark as ordinarily at seven o'clock at night, so that all of the stores had to turn on the lights.

The rain was accompanied by considerable lightning, but no places about here were struck. The rain considerably washed the streets and low lands were flooded.

The storm was bad enough here, but much more worse in other places. Manchester was hit hard, the streets were flooded and the electric street railway was out of commission for some time.

In Newburyport lightning struck a house and set it on fire and it was destroyed.

Salt Roasted Pumpkin Seeds.

In some of the rural districts of Macedonia the peasantry consume large quantities of pumpkin seeds, salted and roasted brown. The taste of this "nut," like the taste of caviar, is an acquired vice and some persons never succeed in acquiring it.—New York Press.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, August 22, 1914.

The Agricultural Fair.

The season of agricultural fairs is again close at hand and soon the choicest live stock, crops, poultry, fruit and household manufactures will be on exhibition for the edification and education of all beholders. With these things go the horse racing, the vaudeville and the fakirs, without which no modern agricultural fair would seem complete, and thus is constituted an event which has its uses in an age when popular attractions are so manifold and varied.

All but the young can remember when the annual agricultural fair was the great event of the year for the farming population, and many others as well. With the growth of baseball and outdoor sports and attractions of many kinds, excursions, moving pictures day and night, and other forms of diversion without number, the agricultural fair does not retain the place it once held in the popular estimation, and in recent years there has been such a decline in interest in some places that agricultural societies have had a struggle to keep their footing. One result is that the character of the fairs has changed to a considerable extent, and with the exhibits and the simple attractions of former days goes a large list of sports, and the event is a field day as well as a fair.

With the growth of cities and villages this was practically unavoidable. The agricultural fair was established purely for the benefit of the farming population, which in earlier days constituted the great bulk of the population, but manufacturing and commerce have so increased in the last half century that there are now large classes who are strangers to the farm and its interests, and for whom entertainment must be provided at the fairs if the societies are to have the benefit of their patronage.

And so the agricultural fair has become an admixture of serious business and sports, with offerings for practically all tastes. It is not what it once was, but it still retains a place among the activities of the day and its elimination would mean a loss to all elements of the community. It calls the farmers and their families together for social greeting and the profitable exchange of ideas, and gives the rest of the community a holiday with an almost endless variety of amusements thrown in.

The agricultural fair still has its uses. Long may it live.

It begins to look as if the railroads of the country would soon increase their passenger rates with the consent of the interstate commerce commission. This may not be pleasant news for the traveling public, but the fact is that between commissions and labor unions the railroads have had their hands full for the last few years to make ends meet, and that if they are to continue to serve the public acceptably they must be reasonably compensated for their services.

The American Society for Thrift thinks that now is just the time for the teaching of thrift in this country, the European war making conditions which call loudly for its practice in the majority of homes. If thrift were taught and practiced at all times the advent of war, labor troubles and other causes of depression would not produce such effects as are felt today. The absence of thrift is one of the serious shortcomings of a large part of the American people.

It is reported from Washington that no war taxes will be imposed at present. It is suggested in some quarters that people could do much for themselves by practicing close economy, but no one wants to hear about anything of that kind. There is no country in which economy is talked so loudly as in the United States, and none in which it is so little practiced.

It is predicted that the automobile will play a more important part in the war than the flying machine, and the chances are that the prediction will prove correct. With automobile trucks provisions and supplies can be moved rapidly, and the use of these machines bids fair to play an important part in the operations of the contending forces.

Now the government is talking of going into the shipping business. This will doubtless please the socialists, who believe the government should have charge of practically all business, but if the step is taken it will be purely as an emergency measure and the business will ultimately revert to private or corporate hands, which is the place for it.

There is to be a "peace march" in New York next Saturday in which 2000 women are preparing to take part. This may be a pleasant diversion for the women, but peace for the warring nations is not to be brought about in that way.

Chicago is warring against war prices for food stuffs, establishing municipal markets and all that sort of thing. And while about it, it might be well to give a part of its attentoin to the meat trus.

The brief telegram sent by President Wilson to the Vatican on the death of the Pope might well be adopted as the expression of the American people.

Dog days are maintaining their reputation.

Cardinals Now Prominent at the Vatican And the Three Cardinals of United States.

Photos by American Press Association.

The election of a new pope now draws the attention of the world. Owing to the war the opinion was expressed after the death of Pope Pius X. that the conclave which elects his successor might not convene for months. In the meanwhile Cardinal Della Volpe, as chamberlain of the Vatican, occupies a high position, being the temporary head of the household. Cardinal Merry Del Val, as papal secretary of state, also is prominent in present affairs. He is shown at the left at top, and Cardinal Volpe is at the right top. At the bottom, left to right, are the three American cardinals—Cardinal O'Connell, Cardinal Gibbons and Cardinal Farley.

U. S. TROOPS AT VERA CRUZ ARE ISOLATED

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 22.—Brigadier General Frederick Funston and his troops of the Fifth Brigade, United States army, are isolated at Vera Cruz, surrounded by the armies of brown-skinned Mexicans who hate the "Gringo" with a vengeance that is theirs from birth and who only await the opportunity to strike the counting blow, regardless of any ultimate results which may harm the republic of Mexico.

General Funston is isolated for the reason that the Secretary of the Navy at Washington has seen fit to remove from Galveston, the base of operations, the one chance of relief in case of necessity, the transports which were chartered by the government for use in moving troops to and from Mexico, and which are absolutely essential should emergency arise which would demand that Funston be re-inforced or that his troops be removed from what at any moment may become a precarious position at Vera Cruz.

There were at Galveston thirteen transports. Of this number the transport San Marcos, which was chartered from the Mallory line, may be neglected, as it was and now is actively engaged in work that takes up all of its time and all its capacity. The remaining twelve vessels had been blocked off and fitted out for the purposes of the army. Six of them, the Sumner, Denver, Kilpatrick, Meade, City of Macon and City of Memphis, were passenger boats and were all of the transport fleet which were available as such. These were equipped for handling 8000 men, and the other vessels in the harbor could not handle 500 in their combined capacity. On the six boats mentioned our country was depending for aid whenever Funston became hard pressed and needed relief or assistance. This need may never come, but it apparently is as imminent today as it was the first day the five thousand khaki-clad men boarded the four transports for Vera Cruz, and as it was the day the men from Uncle Sam's battleships and cruisers took the principal port of Mexico from the hands of the Huertistas.

A few days ago Secretary Garrison ordered out of Galveston the transports Sumner, Kilpatrick, Denver, City of Macon and City of Memphis, with the explanation that these vessels are to be used in transporting from Europe destitute Americans who are stranded in the war zone. These five vessels had been counted on by the war department for the carrying of 7000 soldiers to Mexico when the need arose. Perhaps the need may never arise, but universal indignation is rife in the military camp here, particularly among the officers, because of the action of the secretary, for it seems apparent that Funston is helpless in case of a possible emergency.

It is easily seen that seven transports are left in the harbor for Mexican service, but these are absolutely worthless without those which have been removed. The Meade alone is fitted for passenger service and she can carry few more than 1000 soldiers. All seven of the transports combined cannot carry more than 1500 men. The Kansan, Minnesotan and Panaman have been fitted for carrying stock while the smaller boats can carry only equipment and general freight.

The three transports which have been taken from Galveston were calculated by army officials for taking 7000 men to Vera Cruz and there is no arrangement for any vessels to take their place. Yet these same vessels which are so necessary in coping with the Mexican situation are valueless for the purposes to which the state department would put them, namely carrying passengers across the Atlantic. The Kilpatrick alone of the number is capable of making a trans-Atlantic voyage.

What is called locally the impecunious policy of the government will prove a great loss before it is carried out. In the hope of getting something for nothing, these five ships have been ordered to Europe. The Sumner may be able to make the voyage, although it is not believed possible here. The Mallory steamer Denver and the Savannah line steamers City of Macon and City of Memphis are altogether incapable of carrying the supply of water and fuel necessary for an oversea voyage. And worst of all, there is the ever present possibility that the Mexican armies encamped around Vera Cruz may break forth at any minute in the effort to drive General Funston into the sea, particularly when they are aware that all hope of succor has been cut off.

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CURRENT OPINION

By Far Greater Number of Large Organizations Fall Short of Monopoly.

In a discussion of the trusts it will be well to question to what extent there is general agreement concerning them. It is widely agreed by those who have considered the question of big business that monopoly should be prohibited; also there is an equally general conviction that unfair practices should be eliminated. It is further agreed universally that competition should be retained. These premises I shall accept in this discussion without any attempt to prove their soundness.

There may be great magnitude in business and not monopoly. Indeed, it is believed that by far the greater number of large organizations fall short of monopoly. Only if we assume that all of the great combinations of industry are monopolies does the conclusion follow that they should be destroyed.

Not only do I hold that not all large business is monopolistic, but that concentration up to a certain point is necessary in order to give efficiency. It would not be held by any one, I imagine, that we should return to the situation of fifty or sixty years ago, in which industry was minutely subdivided, in which there were few organizations of large size. Do any of you believe that we shall ever return from the great flour mill to the cross roads grist mill? It is impossible because of the economic gains of magnitude.—By Charles R. Van Hise, President University of Wisconsin.

The masquerade, held last night, was largely attended and much enjoyed, every one entering gally into the spirit of the occasion. The costumes were as follows: Mr. R. S. Sturgis, cow puncher; William L. Graves, farmer; Miss Mary Alice Tutt, Little Lord Fauntle-A. Howard Blight, Pierrot; Miss A. Howard Blight, Pierrette; Miss Lucy Priest, Egyptian; Miss Claire M. Howard, Indian maiden; Miss Ruth Walbridge, Pierrot; Mrs. J. H. Wilson, nurse; William Wilson, suffragette; Miss Lillian Urquhart, tamborine girl; Miss Catherine Brooks, milkmaid; Miss Elizabeth Brooks, domino; Miss Marie Crerar, Japanese; Mr. Whitney Bouden, baby doll; Mrs. D. A. Shirree, pack of cards; R. A. Gerard, Philadelphia, summer girl; Mrs. W. E. Smith, Brookline, night; Miss Julia Sturgis, Arabian; A. H. Sturgis, Yama-Yama; Miss Mary Wharton, Dutch girl; Mr. Sturgis, toreador; Mr. L. W. Harding, pink domino; Mrs. L. W. Harding, night.

PEOPLES' OPINION

Regular Fireman Talks

Editor of the Herald:—

An article in one of the local evening papers concerning the old armory and the veteran firemen is nothing short of amusing to the readers. The writer intimates that the veterans have packed up bag and baggage and are ready to move into the building on Court street. It will be many days, yes, years, before these so-called heroes will be located near the central fire station. This is a sure bet if any one cares to take it up. According to someone the veterans are to give a banquet on the opening night in the armory and will have as special guests members of the active department. Let me impress it on the minds of the veterans that if such a banquet ever comes off, the veterans will not be bothered by any grand rush of regular firemen for seats to get at the chowder and frankfurts. As to the friendship existing between the regulars and the veterans being further cemented and the old love renewed, that is nothing short of a bad dream. The dove of peace has long been tired of flying and lost its wings and the olive branch has become withered. Will some veteran kindly give us the exact date when the heroes expect to capture the armory?

Regular.

MOVING PICTURE STAR IN THIS CITY

It is doubtful if the many motion picture fans of Portsmouth are aware that Portsmouth is entertaining one of the leading players of the Universal Company of New York City. This man is Mr. Jack L. Newton, who is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Benjamin F. Mugridge of Pleasant street for a few weeks.

Mr. Newton was born in this city and lived here until fifteen years ago. Before he left this city he was a bellboy at the Rockingham and going to Boston he secured a similar position. From there he went to New York and found employment in the N. Y. Athletic Club. One day while there he met Joseph H. Wallack, who, becoming interested in him, engaged Mr. Newton for the production "When London Sleeps." The next two seasons he was with Joe Howarth, one of which was with stock in Salt Lake City. He was connected with L. Woods in "The First False Step" for two seasons, acting in the capacity of stage manager and doing the leading head. The next season found him in vaudeville with Emmett Carrigan. Next he was in a summer stock company in Philadelphia doing juvenile leads. For two years Mr. Newton was with the late Henry B. Harris in "The Traveling Salesman." The only time he has ever played in his native city was about six years ago when he appeared in Portsmouth in "The Senator's Wife."

During the past three years this popular player has been with a well known company in New York. Mr. Newton has been acting and directing with Florence Lawrence.

Mr. Newton has a delightful personality and is very interesting to converse with. His stories of the inside life of moton picture acting are very interesting and to one unfamilelar possess a great charm. His many friends in this city are glad he has been so successful and eagerly await the photo dramas in which he appears.

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OBITUARY

William J. Murphy

William J. Murphy passed away at his home, No. 15 Clinton street, Friday afternoon after an illness of about two weeks. He is survived by a wife, two daughters, the Misses Mary and Catherine Murphy, one sone John W. Murphy, also two sisters, Mrs. Mallon of Cliftondale, Mass., and Mrs. Callahan of Ireland and one brother, Patrick Murphy of Ireland.

SOUTH ELIOT.

Services at the South Eliot Advent Christian church for Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school at 1.15. Preaching at 2.30 p. m. and 7.30 p. m. by Rev. Jesse C. Libby of Bridgton, Me., a former pastor of the Concord church. All are cordially invited.

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REAFFIRMS U. S. OPEN DOOR POLICY

Gallinger Resolution Makes Declaration as to Islands in Pacific.

Washington, Aug. 21. A resolution reaffirming adherence of the United States to the "open door" policy in China and proclaiming that this government, in view of the apparent extension of the war in Europe to the Far East, could not view with indifference any alteration of the status quo of the islands of the Pacific and Oceanica, were introduced in the senate today by Senator Jacob Gallinger of New Hampshire. It was referred to the foreign relations committee.

Accompanying his resolution Senator Gallinger submitted a memorandum pointing out that inland waters lying between the Philippines and Hawaii and south and southeast of the latter are islands owned by France, Germany and Great Britain. Also in that region lies Guam and other islands owned by the United States and the Samoan islands in which France, Great Britain and Germany and the United States have interests.

These, it is pointed out, are "easy striking distance of the Philippines, to say nothing of Panama and San Francisco."

AT DR. MOORE'S CAMP

On Sunday at 4 p. m. at Dr. Moore's camp, Eliot, Madame Gertrude de Bielski will continue her subject of last Sunday by reading a paper by Mrs. Besant on "The Reasons for Expecting the Coming of the World-Teacher." All are cordially invited.

PERSONALS

Miss Elizabeth A. Goss is spending the week end at York Beach.

Miss Nellie Caushard of Brattleboro, Vt., is passing a few days in this city.

Miss Annie A. Folsom is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. John H. Cheever of Bath.

Ex-County Commissioner George W. Paul of Newfields was a visitor here today.

On Sunday Andrew O. Caswell will quietly observe another anniversary of his birth.

Mrs. L. E. Bancroft of Richards avenue has returned from a week's visit at Newburyport.

Miss Ethel Spalding is visiting friends and relatives at her home in Rumney, this state.

Miss Elizabeth T. Kane is enjoying her annual vacation from her duties at the Herald office.

Mr. Charles Gray has taken a position in the office of Hon. Calvin Page during his campaign.

The Misses Mann of Brookline, Mass., formerly of this city, are the guests of their cousin, Mrs. John H. Cheever of State street.

Clarence Gowen is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Peck, at Everett, Mass., over the week end.

Mrs. Meyer P. Alkon entertained her friends at a picnic at her cottage at Rye North Beach on Friday.

Compton Jones of the internal revenue office is enjoying a vacation at his home in Franklin, this state.

Master Randall Childs of Manchester has been visiting Master Philip Robinson at Odiorne's Point.

Miss Eva Boyer of Wakefield, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bertwell Randall at her summer home at Wallis Sands.

Mrs. William L. Foster and daughter Grace left on Friday for Bethlehem where they will pass two weeks at the Sinclair.

Our well known citizen, Charles H. Hutchings of State street, today reaches another milestone in life's Journey.

Miss Florence M. Ward of this city has returned from a few days' visit with Miss Katherine Wellman of Topsfield, Mass.

Mrs. Mary T. Masterson of Elyria, Ohio, arrived on Friday and is the guest of Col. and Mrs. John H. Bartlett of Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lafayette of Watertown, Mass., are passing a week at the navy yard as guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. N. Phinney.

Arthur Stevens and family of Boston have taken up residence on Newcastle avenue, Mr. Stevens having accepted a position on the navy yard.

Julian Trask has returned to his home in Laconia, this state, after passing several days in this city renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maxwell of Boston, who have been the guests of Mrs. Fred L. Maxwell of Daniel street, have returned to their home.

Bailey V. Emery and Donald Ferguson, who have been touring Europe, sailed from Naples, Aug. 15, on the Canopic, bound for New York.

Judge Calvin Page, the democratic aspirant for United States senator from this city, is today quietly observing another anniversary of his birth.

Mrs. Alice Maxwell of this city, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Maxwell of East Boston, left today on an automobile trip through Maine.

Mr. Clayton Mugridge has concluded his duties on the army steamer Capt. Morrison and has accepted a position in the office of Hon. Calvin Page.

Miss Norah Blate of Parker street is in Boston today where she will meet her sister, who is expected to arrive today on the steamship Cymric from Ireland.

Mrs. Mae E. Gowen and Mrs. Frank H. Moore of Deer street have returned from North Whitefield, Me., where they were the guests of Mrs. Elwin Benson.

Henry M. Gregg, janitor at the Custom House building, left today for Mattapan, Mass., where he will pass the next two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. E. M. Portevin.

Mrs. Frank H. Moore and Mrs. Clarence Gowen of Deer street have returned from a visit at North Whitefield, Me., where they were the guests of Mrs. Alvin Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Pickering, Misses Roberta and Eleanor Pickering and Master John Pickering have returned from a few days' visit by auto through Manchester and Concord, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holmes are vacating their residence on Middle Road recently purchased by Timothy Donovan, and will leave for California, where they are to make their future home.

DYNAMITE FISHERMAN IS INSTANTLY KILLED

Bangor, Me., Aug. 21.—Archie Lord of South Addison was instantly killed yesterday while dynamiting pollock in Eastern Harbor by the premature explosion of a blast. His body was recovered by boatmen who witnessed the accident. He was 40 years old and leaves a family.

KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village Across the River.

Services Sunday at the Second Methodist church will be as follows: Sunday school in the vestry at 10; preaching by Rev. Winnifred Coffin of Kittery Point at 11; vespers at 5, sermon by Rev. G. B. Cornish of Eliot; Epworth league service omitted.

Messrs. Fred W. Maby and Leslie I. Williams and their families motored to Boston today in their automobiles to pass the week-end.

The Riverside Reading Club held its regular meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. Percy Hustin of Wentworth street. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hattie Wentworth.

Mrs. Joseph Banger and son of Cambridge, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Love lane.

Mrs. Daniel Cook and Miss Annie Hall of Kittery Depot were recent visitors in Boston.

Mrs. Katherine Robert has returned from Rye and is visiting Miss Almenia McIntire.

Mr. George Crowell is very ill at his home at the Intervene.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Froh of Chicago, Ill., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Froh of Government street.

Frank Fuller has returned to his home in Laconia, N. H., after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Nellie Milliken.

Miss Elizabeth Ricker has returned to her home in Boston after a visit with Mrs. C. G. Newson of Commercial street.

A telephone has been installed in the home of Mrs. Fanny Y. Fernald of Newmarch street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Langdon of Central street have gone to South Berwick to pass the week-end.

ELIOT

The mid-summer fair at the Congregational church Tuesday afternoon and evening promises to eclipse anything of that nature that we have had in town this season. There are to be a number of booths artistically arranged. Candy, home made, dolls, aprons, fancy articles and mysteries, who does not like to delve into these, of whatever nature? Ice cream will be on sale. Supper will be served from six to eight o'clock. We all know the excellent reputation these ladies have for arranging and serving their suppers. We understand the supper is to be 25 cents. Now Grangers, help us out on this, we are heart and hand with you in all your affairs, let everyone talk "Congregational Fair" until next Tuesday, Aug. 25th, then come.

There will be morning service at the Congregational church at 10.45 a. m. and Sunday school following. There will be no evening service on account of the union service at the 1st Methodist church to hear Madame Barakat at 7.30 o'clock.

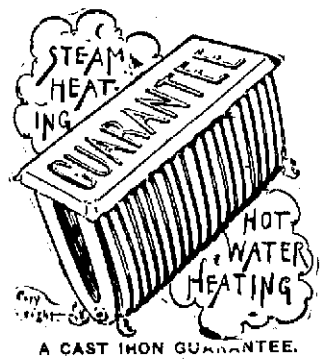
On Sunday morning at the 1st Methodist church Madame Layyah A. Barakat will give an address on the "Fir Trees of Mount Lebanon" at 10.45 o'clock. Madame Barakats intimate knowledge of Bible lands and customs, also her study of the Bible, has made her public work as a teacher and lecturer a rich revelation of the beauties of Scriptures. The public is cordially invited to attend. In the evening some phase of the temperance question will be taken up. Dr. Charles G. Trumbull speaks very highly of Madame Barakat.

The Community Club will meet as usual on Friday evening in the Congregational vestry. We understand that this club is beginning to stimulate quite a little interest and promises to spread an influence that will be far-reaching in its most excellent endeavors for the uplift of manhood and richer living. The best that an be said is that it has an aim and stands for something worth while. We wish more of our young men would join this mens club.

Miss Beulah Shapleigh has returned from a visit to Nantasket and Marblehead.

Mrs. John E. Small is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Mr. F. A. Fogg will spend Sunday with his mother at Old Orchard, where she is spending the summer.



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KITTERY POINT

Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

Mrs. Thurston Patch entertained friends from out of town on Thursday.

Mrs. G. Arthur Packard and children of Stoneham, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tobey.

Webster Randall passed Thursday with friends in Newburyport, Mass.

Miss Bartley has returned to her home in Derry, N. H., after visiting Mrs. Emma Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Plympton, who have occupied the house of Miss Elizabeth Paine for several months, have returned to their home in Boston.

Ernest Call of Malden, Mass., is visiting his father, J. W. Call.

Rev. Winifred T. Coffin and Miss Maude Moulton have returned from Pittsfield, Me., where they attended the Christian Endeavor Convention.

Arrived, schooner Edward Trevoy, Boston for Blue Hill, Me.

Mrs. E. J. Moulton and Miss Francella Emery have returned from Pittsfield, Me.

Warren Blake and son Walter have returned to their home in Malden, Mass., after spending two months with the former's mother, Mrs. Annie Blake, Tenney's Hill.

John Kenney of Malden, Mass., has returned to his home, after visiting friends in this place.

Congregational church. At 11 a. m. sermon by the pastor, Rev. I. J. Merry. 12.15 Sunday school, Miss Julia H. Duncan, superintendent. 5 p. m., Christian Endeavor. The musical program for the morning service is as follows:

Prelude, violin and piano, d'Indy
Prelude, Walthers prize song, Wagner
Piano and violin.
Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Currier
Anthem, duet, He shall feed His flock, Handel
Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Howells
Response, "Thy home is with the Humble," Gauntlett
Offertory, soprano solo, with violin obligato, "Grass and Roses," Bartlett

Miss Flora Wood of Somerset, Mass., has returned to her home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Moulton.

Services at the First Christian church. Sunday school at 12.30, Willard Emery, superintendent. Junior Christian Endeavor at 11.30 a. m., Miss Fannie Emery, superintendent. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Winifred Coffin, at 7 p. m. Evening service at 7.30.

Mrs. Fred Libby is visiting friends in Milton, N. H.

Mrs. Emory Currier and daughter Clara are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moloon at Jackson, N. H.

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Mrs. Jessie Stillings and children of North Berwick are visiting Mrs. Mary W. Fernald.

Miss Irene Kramer of Kittery is the guest of Miss Marion Randall.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Mr. Churchill, there will be no afternoon service at the Free Baptist church on Sunday, Aug. 23. Sunday school will be held at 1 p. m., William Amee, superintendent. The evening service at 7.30 will be conducted by Rev. George Smith of Princeton, N. J.

WILL REDUCE FORCE.

Boston & Maine to Drop Several Traveling Station Agents.

It is reported in railroad circles that the Boston and Maine will shortly reduce the force of traveling station agents. Eighteen or more are now employed on the system and the report has it that the number will be cut in two. Some of the men engaged in this work have been appointed but a short time.

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the result that he was over-powered, the gun wrested from his grasp and the fatal shot fired at close range directly into his head.

"To cover up the crime, the body was dragged to the barn, and after the house had been looted, a match was applied to cover up the dastardly deed in the opinion of the investigators."

Mrs. George Hirst of Amesbury was the guest of friends at Portsmouth and the Isles of Shoals on Friday.

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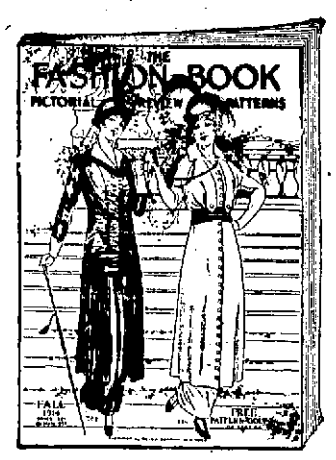

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LOT 3

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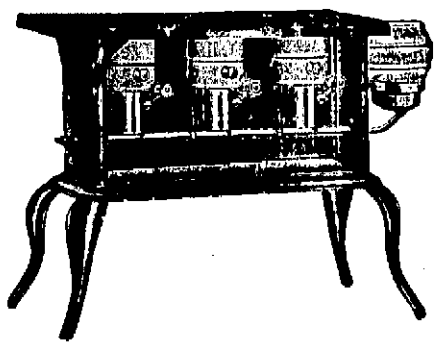

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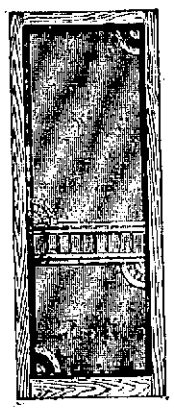

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A FIGHT THAT WILL BE GREATEST IN HISTORY

Expected When German and Allied Armies Clash Along Battle Front--Brussels in Hands of Germans--Antwerp Cannot Be Taken.

Paris, Aug. 21. The Petit Parisien's review of the war situation today says

"A great battle is preparing. Belgium is to be the theatre of the most formidable shock in history, the duration of which escapes prophecy. Repulsed in the south at Dinant by the French, the Germans have been making since Tuesday a vigorous offensive movement towards the north, which on Wednesday forced the Belgians, after a fine resistance, to fall back on Antwerp. The French armies have also taken up their respective positions and it is certain that our general staff is far from being taken unprepared by our adversaries' tactics. The staff has foreseen them and is prepared to deal with them under the best auspices."

Massing in Belgium

Official news made public in Paris today says that the German forces continue to pass the Meuse in the vicinity of Huy and that an important concentration is being carried out in Belgium this morning. No French territory is occupied by the enemy except a piece of enclosed land at Audun-le-Roman, in the Department of Meurthe-et-Moselle.

Denies Advantage for Germans

The official news bulletin issued by the French war office today says:

"Up to the twentieth day of the French mobilization, despite the assurances of German writers, even those of the German general staff, the Germans have not obtained any of the decisive advantages they counted upon. Moreover, the enemy has not been able to carry the war on to our territory. This advantage has at least a moral value which is worth nothing."

BELGIANS TO MENACE GERMAN FLANK

Strongly Fortified at Antwerp, They Can be Checked Only at the Expense of a Large Force and Regular Siege Artillery—Namur Threatening Other Side of German Line.

An official statement says.

"In conformity with a prearranged plan the Belgian field army retreated on the entrenched camp of Antwerp, after brilliantly fulfilling their duty as dictated by the strategical situation and delaying for a fortnight the German passage of the Meuse.

"Antwerp has a double role. It is a formidable entrenched camp, fortified on most modern lines and is the base from which the Belgian army can threaten the German flank and cooperate effectively with the allies.

"The Antwerp defences consist of three fortifications, whose power of resistance can be heightened by flooding a large area around all the works. Antwerp is fully equipped with the most perfect appliances. To besiege the fortress, the Germans would have to detach imposing forces and a large siege train. This they are not likely to do. If they do not, they will be obliged to cover themselves against the operations of the Belgian army, which is intact, thanks to the skilful retreat, and augmented by the Antwerp garrison.

"It is to be added that the Liege forts still hold out. Those at Namur have not yet been attacked. They are as strong as the forts at Liege and have been considerably strengthened in the past two weeks.

"From this it would seem that the advancing German armies are caught between the positions of Namur and Antwerp, a distance from each other of only thirty-five miles as the crow flies. The German situation is then a difficult one, since they lack the chief postulate of a plan of march through Belgium, namely free passage of the Meuse, a route by Liege and Namur, and inaction on the part of the Belgian army."

ANTWERP READY FOR DEFENCE

Preparations Extend Over an Enormous Area—All Classes in the City Help—Report That All Foreign Correspondents Now Found in Belgium Will be Shot.

Antwerp, Aug. 21.—An official statement says that the situation is unchanged. German cavalry patrols are circulating around Brussels, severing communication between the capital and Antwerp and between these cities and the central part of the country.

The preparations for the defence of Antwerp extend over an enormous area. All classes in the city are joining in the work day and night, but there is no sign of panic or confusion. The gates driven through the walls by a peace-loving people, are closed, while this work of preparation goes doggedly forward. Antwerp itself offers a strange contrast. At almost every window appear English, Belgian and French flags giving a festive air to the city, which is preparing to resist to the last gasp.

The correspondent of the London Chronicle hears that it was stated at the office of the general staff Thursday that all foreign correspondents found in Belgium after last night would be shot.

WOULD SACRIFICE LAST MAN

The German Emperor Says the Flag Must Keep Flying and the Sword Must Not be Sheathed Without Victory and Honor.

London, Aug. 21.—A Marconi wireless message from Berlin tells of the German emperor's farewell address to the First Regiment of Foot Guards. They had assembled, the emperor said, to pray that German arms might be blessed, so that they should be able to keep flying the flag of the Fatherland over the envy of its enemies even if this entailed the sacrificing of the last drop of German blood. The sword which he had allowed to remain in its sheath decade after decade, and which he now drew, must decide, and, he declared, it could not be sheathed again without victory and honor. This war found the nation trusting in Almighty God and remembering the glorious days of old. The commander of the regiment renewed the oath of loyalty and proclaimed the regiment's unquenchable thirst for victory.

Count von Beckendorff, the Russian ambassador in London, has received a telegram which states that his youngest son, Count Peter von Beckendorff, was slightly wounded in the shoulder while fighting with the Russian forces on the German eastern frontier. He is now in a hospital at Vilna.

German Trains Resume Service.

German mobilization having been completed, express trains are resuming service but still only between the principal towns. The prohibition on the export of meat and provisions from Berlin has been almost totally withdrawn. Maximum prices have been fixed by the authorities on rye, wheat flour, salt and other commodities.

FOREIGN FRIENDS OF FRANCE

Eighteen Thousand Volunteers from Nine Nationalties Are Mustered in; Among Them are 125 American Rough Riders.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The great square fronting the Invalides in Paris today presented a striking spectacle when 18,000 foreign volunteers assembled in orderly formation under the flags of their various nations to be mustered in. There were 4500 Jews from all countries who desired to serve as a separate command; there were also 3000 Belgians, 4500 Italians, 2600 Russians, 2600 Swiss, 1500 Spaniards, 600 Roumanians, 333 Luxemburgians and 125 Americans. All these volunteers were obliged to wait until the complete mobilization of the French regular forces had been concluded, which was accomplished yesterday. In the meanwhile, 30,000 foreigners resident in France, have inscribed their names provisionally on the rolls of a committee calling itself "The Friends of France." Only those volunteers resident in Paris presented themselves today. It will take several days to comply with all the formalities and examinations and make the men into anything like an organized body of troops.

Rough Riders With France

The Anglo-American rough riders corps formed in Paris will act as scouts and interpreters for which latter service they are particularly well qualified as most of them speak four and some even seven languages. All have seen actual service and are expert horsemen. They will provide their own uniforms and mounts, but a fund for their maintenance in the field has been raised publicly. Five automobiles have been given the corps. One of the machines is fully fitted as a hospital and will carry surgeons and nurses.

Americans Would Buy French Goods

William P. Peixotto, a member of the American committee appointed to assist American tourists in Paris, and Bernard J. Shoninger, formerly president of the Chamber of Commerce in Paris, have informed the minister of commerce that they would like to see Americans place some orders with French industries, but there was the difficulty of transportation and also an inability to determine that such orders could be filled in view of restricted postal facilities. Minister Thomson said that steps were being taken to reestablish the normal freight service from the principal industrial centres, and that the Bank of France would offer the fullest possible facilities for the discounting of commercial paper. He added that the Government would still further limit the effects of the moratorium in order to permit manufacturers to use the capital which they had on deposit with the banks.

Greeks and Italians With France

Grecian subjects to the number of 280, all of whom fought in the recent Balkan wars as well as a large number of Italians, have offered their services to the French military authorities. So many men want to enlist under the flag of the Republic that it has been found necessary to extend the time limit on acceptances. Otherwise the maximum strength of many corps would be obtained immediately.

DESCRIBES LANDING OF 35,000 BRITISH TROOPS IN FRANCE

New York, Aug. 21.—Capt. Charles Mourrand of the French Liner France gave some interesting details of the English troops landing in France.

"On August 14, the day before we left Havre," said he, "at 4 o'clock 35,000 British soldiers landed there from 23 transports with their artillery, stores and ammunition, without any mishap. It was all done so quietly that no one in Havre except the military officials and the Naval Commandant of the port knew that the English were coming.

"Just after daylight the transports entered the harbor in single file and were warped through the dock gates to the various basins where they were to land.

"The officers and soldiers were all dressed in khaki uniforms and carried their kits in marching order, and were a fine looking lot of men. The people of Havre gave them a hearty welcome as they marched through the streets, with the bands playing the 'Marseillaise' and English, Scotch and Irish music."

Capt. Mourrand added that he did not know where the troops went when they left Havre, as all movements of the French Army and the allies are kept secret.

London, Aug. 21.—The diplomatic situation created by the war is becoming hourly an increasing absorbing topic of interest. The Nations now at war actually or technically, are, on one side, Germany and Austria-Hungary. Arrayed against these are Great Britain, France, Russia, Belgium, Japan, China, Servia and Montenegro.

Armies mobilized and prepared for eventualities are those of Denmark, Holland, Italy, Switzerland, Roumania Bulgaria, Turkey, Greece, Portugal, Spain, Norway and Sweden. This last list of countries is neutral, and yet in the present excited frame of mind of Europe, no one can tell what a day may bring forth or what new blaze one little spark dropped in the tinder box may start.

Delicate Neutrality Questions

It is recognized here that the situation of the United States is particularly delicate. Running along her entire northern borders is Canada, which is a part of the British Empire, which is at war with Austria and Germany.

The question of supplying contraband of war to any of the belligerents is understood to be a matter of constant communications between London and the Embassy in Washington.

One great need of the allies is horses for use on the Continent. The question of coal, which is contraband of war, also arises. Can the United States send coal to Canada to be transported to Great Britain and France without violating neutrality? Ticklish questions like these will be constantly arising. England thus far has viewed with satisfaction what it regards as the absolutely correct position of President Wilson.

In order, apparently, to ease the tension between America and Germany, the American Ambassador informed the Times this morning that it was not true that there had been any difficulty in the way of Ambassador Gerard communicating with Washington, and that he had been in constant communication with the Embassy. The statement did not specify whether this was communicated by telegraph or cable or whether by courier between Berlin and London.

I am informed that for a considerable period Ambassador Gerard was cut off from communication which was only restored after friendly representation made from Washington.

Endeavor to Befriend All

The United States is endeavoring to be everybody's friend in this war. Special agents from the State Department who arrived aboard the relief cruisers Tennessee and the North Carolina, to assist our ambassadors on the continent are now endeavoring to make their way from various coasts to Antwerp, St. Petersburg, Vienna, Berlin, Rome and Berne.

Two notes were struck today emphasizing how close certain neutral powers are to the international powder magazine. Switzerland's neutrality has twice been violated by the combatants In each instance the violation was trival. In one case German troops occupied the railroad station at Basel, in Swiss territory. In the other instance France sent troops into Switzerland. In the case of France, apologies were made, and likewise in the case of Germany.

France, to emphasize her friendliness sent a special train to Switzerland to bring out refugees, who were escorted by Swiss Reservists

In order to prevent any further violation of her neutrality, Switzerland has called every man of all the classes liable to military duty to the colors, and 400,000 men are now guarding the frontier.

Airship Sailed Over Denmark

It is reported from Denmark that a German Zeppelin sailed across that country. This, of course, is not setting foot on Danish soil, but it may be regarded in the light of a technical violation of Denmark's neutrality. The view taken here is that this Zeppelin was not sent across Denmark with any hostile intent against that country, but to ascertain if there was any movement of the British fleet toward the Skagerrack.

A large portion of the German fleet remains in the Baltic Sea. Only by going through the Skagerrack and circumnavigating Denmark could the British fleet approach the Kaiser's naval force.

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Preaching services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. J. K. Wilson of Portland, Me., officiates.

Sunday school at 12m. in the chapel.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets on Tuesday evening at 7.45.

Church prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7.45.

Mid week services in the chapel.

A cordial invitation is extended to all the services.

People's Baptist Church

Rev. John L. Davis minister.

11 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Subject "The Wedding Garment."

12 noon. Sunday School in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.

7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor, William T. Patillo president.

8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject "Shining as the Stars."

Seats free, all are welcome.

St. John's Church

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity.

8.00 a. m. Choral Eucharist, church.

10.30 a. m. Morning Prayer, church Sermon by the Rev. Victor M. Caughton, Exeter, N. H.

Church School and Evening service are omitted during August.

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There will be a service in the Music Room at 7.40 p. m. under the direction of the Bishop of New Hampshire and in charge of the Rector of St. John's, The Rev. Victor M. Caughton of Exeter will officiate and preach.

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Services: Sunday morning at 10.45 and Wednesday evening at 7.45. All are welcome. Subject for Aug. 23, "Mind."

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Rector, Rev. Charles leV. Brine.

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity.

Services: Holy Eucharist 7.30 a. m. Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10.30 a. m. Men's Bible Class 12 m. Evensong and Sermon 7.30 p. m.

Men are cordially invited to the Bible Class at 12 m.

The Rector will preach both morning and evening.

Meeting of the Brotherhood on Monday evening.

Service of Intercession for peace at 7.30 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Feast of S. Bartholomew on Monday Holy Eucharist 7.30 a. m. First evensong of the Feast on Sunday evening.

Holy Eucharist on Tuesday and Thursday 7.30 a. m.

Advent Christian Church

Irving F. Barnes pastor.

Social service at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the Rev. A. R. Meade, now at Alton Bay.

Sunday School at 12.00 m.

Praise service at 7.15 p. m. followed by preaching at 7.30 p. m. by the speaker of the morning.

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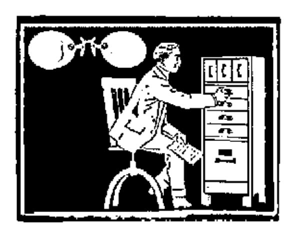

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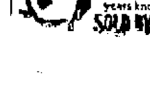

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THE GERMAN EMPIRE--WHAT IT CONSISTS OF

The importance to the world of the German Empire, with its colonization work and vast manufactures and the black results which must come to Germany and indirectly to the other countries, whether the Kaiser wins or loses in the European Armageddon, is just beginning to be realized.

The empire of the Kaiser is made up of four kingdoms, six grand duchies, five duchies, seven principalities, two provinces, Alsac-Lorraine, Reichsland and three free towns.

The population of Germany, by the 1910 census, was 64,925,993, or 310.4 to the square miles; 32,040,166 males, and 32,885,827 females. In June, 1913, the population was estimated at 66,096,000.

Germany has four colonies in Africa, one in Asia and eight among the islands of the Pacific, with a combined population of 24,389 whites, 12,041,603 natives, total, 12,065,992. This makes the total population of the German Empire, 76,161,992.

The area of Germany is 208,780 square miles, which with 1,027,820 square miles of the colonies, brings the area of the German Empire to 1,236,600 square miles.

According to the last census, there were 1,259,873 foreigners in Germany; 12,455 subjects of Belgium; 19,140 French; 18,319 English and Irish; 104,284 Italians; 14,356 subjects of Luxemburg; 144,175 Dutch; 667,159 Austrians and Hungarians; 137,697 subjects of Russia and Finland and 17,572 Americans.

The German Empire has seven cities of over half a million population. They are: Berlin, 2,071,257; Hamburg, 931,035; Munich, 596,467; Leipsic, 589,850; Dresden, 548,308; Cologne, 516,527; Breslau, 512,105.

The latest available figures show the annual births of Germany to average 1,925,883, with 1,085,996 deaths; the population thus increasing at the rate of 839,887 a year. The German birth rate has shown a marked decline in recent years, as follows:—In 1876 it was, per 1000 inhabitants, 42.6 per cent; in 1886, it was 37.8; in 1900 it was 34.1; in 1909 it was 32.0 and in 1911, only 29.5.

Where formerly many thousand of German subjects emigrated annually, in the last few years the emigration has been cut down considerably. In 1912, the last figures available, 19,356 Germans left the Fatherland; 13,706 to the United States; 225 to Brazil, 4,198 to other North and South and Central American countries; 901 to other countries of Europe; 322 to Australia, four to Asia and none to Africa.

A year ago the estimated total wealth of the German Empire was $60,500,000,000 as compared with: United States, $130,000,000,000; Great Britain, $80,000,000; France, $65,000,000,000; Russia, $40,000,000,000; Austria-Hungary, $12,000,000,000; Italy, $20,000,000,000 and Belgium, $5,000,000,000.

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In the last general elections in Germany, there were 14,442,387 voters on the lists and 12,260,731 actually cast ballots, as follows: Socialists, 4,250,399; Center party, 1,996,848; National Liberals, 1,662,670; Radicals, 1,497,041; Conservatives, 1,126,270.

In the German parliament, the Reichstag, on April 1, this year, there were 112 Socialists; 89 of the Center Party; 47 National Liberals; 42 Conservatives; 44 Radicals; 18 Poles and 13 Free Conservatives.

In 1900 there were 65,199,530 acres under cultivation in Germany with 21,397,300 acres in meadows and permanent pastures, those being the latest returns available. Last year Germany, in tons, produced the following crops: Wheat, 4,635,956; rye, 12,220,394 barley, 3,573,271; oats, 9,713,965; potatoes, 54,121,143; hay, 29,184,991; hops, 19,617; tobacco, 38,902. The latest reports showed there were 168,432,000 fruit trees in Germany; 4,516,297 horses, 20,158,738 cattle; 5,787,848 sheep; 21,885,073 swine, 3,385,971 goats.

In 1913 Germany's total imports amounted to $2,673,750 against exports of $2,478,150,000, as follows: Agricultural products and foodstuffs, imports, $1,759,184,500, exports, $432,039,250; textile materials and manufacturers, imports, $201,127,250, exports $390,137,500; leather and leather goods, imports, $40,914,250; exports, $138,804,750 base metals and manufactures thereof, imports, $172,353,000, exports $476,399,000; machinery and electrical goods, imports, $35,084,750, exports, $217,451,250; chemical and pharmaceutical products, imports, $107,596,250, exports $239,103,500.

In 1912 Germany produced a mineral output of $592,250,000 in coal, lignite, iron, zinc, lead, copper, rock salt, and potassic salt. Her foundry products that year were: Pig iron, $212,627,750; zinc, 28,589,750; lead, $11038,000; copper $11,003,500; tin $,874,000. Two years ago the fisheries of Germany yielded $103,916,990.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Candia—Cornelia L. Palmer to Candia Club, Inc., Boston, land, $1.

Deerfield—Mary A. Knowlton to Minnie J. Collins, land and buildings in Deerfield and Nottingham, $1. Harrison D. Norton, Watertown, Mass., to Fred L. Norton, land and buildings, $1.

Derry—Grace A. Nickerson to Sarah V. Bodge, farm and personal property, $1. Franklin B. Berry to Matthew Webb, Andover, Mass., land and buildings, $1. Ernest L. Reynolds to Benjamin F. Low, land, $1. William H. Jones heirs to Benjamin T. Bartlett, land, $1. Lottie M. Delong to Rebecca J. Rich, land and buildings, $1. Benjamin A. Martin, Saugus, Mass., to William H. Drew, land and buildings, $1.

Exeter—Eugene Miron to Edith M. Davis, premises on East Kingston road, $1. William E. Cram, Eastford, Conn., to Elmer H. Cram, Wakefield, Mass., land on Epping road, $1. Last grantee to Walter H. Bunker, same land, $1. Alice C. Wilder, Lowell, Mass., to Alexander Churchill, land and buildings on Stratham road, $1. Grace A. Morse to Helsey H. Quimby, homestead on Union street, $1. Elizabeth L. Boreo to Nellie A. Parker, land and buildings and furniture on Highland street, $1. John Redden to Guy P. Brooks, land and buildings on Oak street, $1.

Fremont—James B. Martin et als. to John Leddy, Epping, land, $1.

Hampton—Edward J. Butler, Arlington, Mass., trustee, to Emil J. Bergelund, Manchester, lots 7, 9, 11, 15 Boar's Head, $1. Last grantor to Caroline G. Donovan, Lawrance, Mass., lot 4 on Head, $1. Warren J. Drew to John A. Janvrin, Hampton Falls, land, $1. The Roman Catholic Bishop of Manchester to Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury street railway, land at beach, $1.

Kingston—Fanie LaFavor, Newton, to John Badger, Plaistow, land, $1.

Londonderry—Rosecrans W. Pillsbury to executors of will of William S. Pillsbury, all rights in his estate, $1. David B. McGregor, Orlando, Fla., to Walter B. McGregor, homestead, $1. Annie Spear to Marie D. Jalbert, Lowell, Mass., land and buildings, $1.

Newfields—Eugene J. Sullivan to Abbie E. Sherry, Dover, land and buildings, $1. Assignee of Squamscott Savings bank to Herbert W. Smith, land and buildings, $1.

Newmarket—Garrett Evans to Pierre McMullen, land and buildings, $1125. John E. Kent to Jennie E. Gove, land and buildings, $1.

Newton—Benjamin F. Austin to Winfield S. Austin, lands and buildings, $1.

North Hampton—Richard P. Herrick to Samuel Herrick, both of Washington, D. C., one twentieth certain land, $1. Jackman Herrick, Duchesne, U., to Clara M. Fowler, one twentieth same land, $300.

Northwood—Abbie S. Tilton et als., to Fred E. Trickey, land, $1. Frederick A. Platts, Manchester, to last grantee, land, $1.

Plaistow—George M. Proctor to Bessie Silmas, Portland, Me., land and buildings, $1. Edson E. Penslee to Joseph S. King, both of Haverhill, woodland, $1.

Portsmouth—Emma M. Cook to Arthur F. Cook, rights in Plains premises, $1. Herman A. Clark to Elmer E. Clark, one-fourth Mechanic street premises, $1. James J. Scully to Dora A. Scully, land and buildings on Rockingham street, $1. Mabel A. Harriman, Warner, to Henry M. Tucker, land and buildings on Summer street, $1. George W. Hayford to Julia J. Chase, land and dwelling on Middle street, $1. Georgette R. Mason to William E. McMullen, land on Boyd's road, $1.

Raymond—Osborne L. West to Spaulding & Frost Company, Fremont, land, $1.

Rye—Susan M. Sawyer to Alice C. Jenness, rights in land, $1. Last grantee to last grantor, rights in same land, $1. Frank E. Parsons to Thomas W. Parsons, land and buildings, $1. North Shore Realty Company to Alice M. Keepers, Portsmouth, land, $1. Archie L. Jenness to Albert E. Turner, Boston, standing growth, $1.

Salem—Nathan G. Abbott to Wallace W. Cole, land and buildings, $1. Last grantee to Lula M. Wentworth, Boston, same premises, $1. Samuel M. Kelley to Cora J. Duston, land, $1. Wallace W. Cole to Helen E. Laton, land, $1.

Sandown—John W. Lovering to Talbot & Clark, land, $1. Russell H. Hooke to Spaulding & Frost Company, Fremont, standing timber, $1, other land, $1. Hattie Morrill to Hollis L. Cameron, Beverly, Mass., land and buildings, $1.

Seabrook—Emery N. Eaton to Byron J. L. Eaton, land, $1.

Windham—Charles J. Miers to Arthur W. Sewall, camp, $1.

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SUGAR PRICES ARE BEING JUGGLED WITH

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—There is still one-half of this season's beet sugar output, or 750,000 bags, in the hands of the American Beet Sugar Company, awaiting a market, according to a statement made before the United States grand jury by Robert Oxnard, president of the company.

The company could not find a market for this sugar even at a price below the present market quotation, Dist. Atty. Preston quoted Oxnard as saying:

"This proves conclusively that the eastern seaboard refineries are not afraid of a shortage, and that they are simply juggling with the stock they have on hand, which is a three months supply," Mr. Preston said.

"The testimony showed also that the eastern refineries had been making no purchases of raw cane sugar."

The testimony referred to was brought out at the beginning of the federal investigation here into the advance in food prices since the opening of the European war. Witnesses asserted that the price of sugar here is fixed in New York.

Sugar men told the grand jury yesterday that the increased prices were based on the fear of the eastern refineries that the English buyers, shut off from the continental sources of beet sugar supply, would overbid them for the Cuban raw sugar crop.

BOSTON LETTER

Boston, Aug. 22.—A famine fed revolt will end the war in Europe, according to Frederick P. Fish, chairman of the State Board of Education, who has just returned from Europe. He was informed Great Britain had enough food to last several months, but doubts this saying, however, that even if such were the case people cannot get the money to pay for it. Ordinarily it would be possible to organize relief systems in quick order, but he feels this situation is beyond such methods of solution and he can see nothing ahead but starvation for many people and trouble for the governments involved. He believes that when the people become hungry they will riot and cry out against the governments which rule them and have forced the war or have been forced into fighting. He blames the Czar and not the Kaiser for the war.

Boston, Aug. 22.—Governor David I. Walsh has accepted an invitation to be the guest of honor on the third day of the Fitchburg Fair, Sept. 3. The Governor, who votes in Ward 2 in that city, is certain to be given a rousing homecoming by his fellow citizens.

Boston, Aug. 22.—The Red Cross hopes to hurry its preparations so that the ship carrying surgeons, enrolled Red Cross trained nurses, surgical equipment and hospital supplies will be ready to sail on its mission of mercy within ten days. The special committee detailed to procure the ship, Surgeon General Braisted of the navy, Chief Constructor R. M. Watt of the navy and Bernard N. Baker of Baltimore, have a number of propositions under consideration. It has been decided that Major Robert U. Patterson, U. S. army medical corps, regularly detailed by the War Department as chief of the first aid department of the Red Cross, will go on the chartered relief ship in general charge of the ten hospital units.

Boston, Aug. 22.—The committee on Cuban day, United Spanish War Veterans, have met to make plans for the celebration on October 10. The department plans to have exercises at 2 p. m. and a military parade at 4 p. m. Camps throughout New England will be invited to take part.

Boston, Aug. 22.—William B. Wilcott, formerly a Republican state committeeman, paid a visit to the headquarters yesterday, after a long absence. Mr. Wilcott left the regular Republican ranks for the Insurgent Republians, then he became Progressive, later a fusionist Progressive, and now he has nomination papers out for the House in Ward 2-4, on both Republican and Progressive sides.

Boston, Aug 22.—Mrs. Robert A. Woods is chairman of a committee appointed by the Business Woman's Club for the purpose of dealing with the employment of women and the forming of a confidential bureau from which information may be obtained concerning desirability of certain positions of employment. The other members of the committee are: Mrs. George T. Rice, Miss Blanche E. Colman, Miss Lucy C. Phinney, Miss Theresa S. Haley, Miss Anna Merritt and Miss Blanche I. Goell.

Boston, Aug. 22.—Secretary Daniels is very much interested in a bill which is now before Congress to provide a resolution in the matter of pay of retired officers in the navy and marine corps.

Pigeons as Dispatch Carriers.

During the siege of Paris carrier pigeons proved of great practical use in carrying messages. These were photographed microscopically on pellicles of collodion which were inclosed in goose quills attached to a silk thread in the upper part of the tail feathers. Now there is a military pigeon system controlled by the French ministry of war.

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Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

The season at the neighboring beaches is now on the wane.

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An automobile from California was seen on Congress street yesterday.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

Dover's Old Home Week celebration begins next Tuesday and this city will be represented by a good sized delegation.

Yesterday's shower interfered with the seeing of the eclipse of the sun and many were disappointed therefore.

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There are two states from which one rarely sees automobiles, and they are Vermont and Rhode Island. It seems peculiar as both are so near.

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Great interest is being taken in the coming field day of the First Regiment, U. R. K. P., which takes place at Rand's Grove, on Wednesday, Sept. 2, preceded by a parade in this city.

The largest stock of bicycles and tires ever in Portsmouth at W. F. Woods. Tires $2.00 to $5.00; bicycles $20.00 to $50.00. Iver Johnson bicycles are best.

The statue of Franklin Pierce, New Hampshire's only president, which was provided for by the last New Hampshire legislature, will be completed in time for dedication, at some date in October.

Lawn mowers, scissors, knives and all edge tools sharpened; saws filed, umbrellas mended, keys made, locks repaired, and razors honed and rehandled at Horne's, 33 Daniel street.

One week from next Tuesday occurs the primaries and those intending to vote should see that their names are on the checklist. The board of registrars hold only two more meetings, on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Hard and soft wood for sale. We have some extra dry pine limbs. Regan & Clair, 235 Cate street. Tel. 1194M. hm18tf

Pleasant street from State to the North Church presented a very lively appearance at 11.30 o'clock, no less than eighteen automobiles, many of which were large touring cars, being drawn up on each side of the street, while their occupants transacted their business with the local stores and banks.

POLICE COURT.

William N. DeWald, a New York automobile driver, was in the district court today charged with reckless driving. He was arrested on High street on Friday by Traffic Officer Shannon and had several times been warned relative to the careless manner in which he handled the machine. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $25 and costs of $9.28.

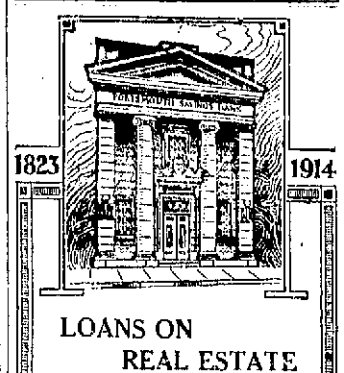
SHOOTS TWO WOMEN AND KILLS HIMSELF

Tulsa, Okla., Aug. 21.—Alva Goldsby, 19, today shot and killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. U. G. Meyers, fatally wounded his wife and then killed himself. The tragedy was at Drumwright, an oil town 60 miles from Tulsa.

RED SOX RELEASE YERKES

Boston, Aug. 21.—Steve Yerkes, second baseman of the Boston American league club, was given his unconditional release today. Janvrin, the utility man, who has been playing the position for some time, is expected to succeed Yerkes.

Many persons from the surrounding towns took advantage of the fine weather of today to come to the city to make their weekly purchases.



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County Solicitor Guptill Asks for Injunction Against Greenland Piggery.

County Solicitor Guptill has filed information and petitioned for an injunction against the proprietors of the piggery at Greenland. It is claimed that conditions there are such as to create a public nuisance, and the county authorities are determined to abate it.

NAVY YARD NEWS

Naval Orders

Lieut. G. H. Bowley and Lieut. E. A. Wolleson, Lieut. C. S. Graves, Lieut. A. W. Brown, Jr., and Junior Lieut. G. W. Simpson, naval academy, to the Missouri; Lieut. W. B. Howe, R. W. Wallace, Jr., Lieut. F. R. King, naval academy, to the Illinois; Lieut. S. C. Hopper, the Wyoming, to temporary duty navy department; Ensign H. Harlow, the Wyoming, to the Yankton; Ensign T. S. King, the Yankton, to the Wyoming; Midshipman P. W. Fletcher, naval academy, to the Florida; Surg. G. R. Dykes, receiving ship at Mare Island, to navy recruiting station, Atlanta; P. A. Surg. C. K. Winn, to receiving ship at Mare Island; Asst. Surg. J. F. Neuberger, M. R. C., Pacific reserve fleet, to navy medical school, Washington; Asst. Surg. C. W. Foss, M. R. C., H. C. McDonald, M. R. C., naval hospital, Mare Island, to naval medical school, cccccccccccccccc haveww hdoradod Washington; Asst. Dent. Surg. E. R. Lary, to receiving ship at New York; Chief Boatswain A. Stuart, to navy yard, Puget Sound; Boatswain R. K. Mallil, the Kentucky, to the Potomac; Chief Gunner W. H. E. Schluter, the Florida, home wait orders; Gunner H. Thompson, the Alabama, to the Florida; Chief Machinist J. V. Jacobson, the Missouri, home wait orders.

Movements of Naval Vessels

Arrived—Beaver at Acapulco, Sylvia at Washington, Culgoa at New York, Missouri and Illinois, at southern drill grounds, Louisiana at New York, Paterson at Boston, Preble at San Francisco.

Sailed—Osceola, from Puerto Plata for San Juan; Nanshan, from Mazatlan for Guaymas; K-2, from Newport for New London; Tennessee, from Fatmouth, Eng., for Rotterdam; Chauncey, from Nagasaki for Shanghai; Texas, from Cape Henry for New York; Cincinnati, from Amoy for Shanghai; Yankton, from Vera Cruz for Campeche Bank; Nero, from Tiburon for San Diego.

Will Amount to $30,000

Naval Constructor Adams, head of the hull division, has not as yet received any orders relative to the manufacture of furniture for one of the new transports. He hopes, however, that work will later be ordered as the manufacture of the same will amount to approximately $30,000 for labor and material.

They Like the Old Arrangement

It is the unanimous wish of the Portsmouth yard employes that the half holiday will go back to the former arrangement and the vacation period extend from July 1 to Oct. 1. It is likely the department will next year give the men on the several yards a chance to vote on the matter and each suit themselves as to what month they care to have the half day—what suits the southern yards doesn't meet the approval of the northern stations and vice versa.

Back to the Ship.

Operators Nantz and Hugg, who have been temporarily assigned to the yard wireless station for instructions, have been ordered back to the San Francisco.

Visiting Portland.

Capt. W. T. Hoadley, commanding the marine barracks, is enjoying a few days' leave in Portland.

Laborers for Hull.

Six laborers were called today for the hull division.

Pay Day for Workmen.

The mechanical and laboring forces at the yard were paid today. The largest amount of money so far this summer was distributed by the pay corps.

Friday and Saturday. Nine reels of specially selected subjects.

"The Lure of the Sawdust," two reel American drama of the circus, featuring Ed Coxen and Winifred Greenwood. A country boy falls in love with a circus rider and marries her after an accident which promises to cripple her for life. A year later, when the circus returns to the town she attempts to take up her old profession, but the love of her husband child prove too strong.

"The Triumph of Mind," three reel Bison drama, featuring Lois Weber and Phillips Smalley. A fine strong drama with a deep heart interest in which circumstancial evidence says a man shall die and mental science sets him free.

"The City," two reel Kay-Bee drama, with Gertrude Clair and Roy Laidlaw. The son of a miserly farmer leaves home and secures work as cashier in a New York pool room. Some time later the father attempts to invest a large sum of money in a get-rich-quick game, but the boy saves the money and returns it to the father.

Mutual Weekly. Showing the U. S. S. Tennessee sailing for Europe with relief for American tourists, and The Kronprinzessin Cecile, with $10,000,000 anchoring in Bar Harbor.

"The Fatal Sweet Tooth," Keystone comedy.

Songs by Miss Margaret Pearson.

Coming Monday. "The Vengeance of Gold," two reel Reliance drama; "Cast Adrift in the South Seas," two reel Bison drama; "His Last Chance," two reel Imp drama; and "A New York Girl," two reel Keystone comedy.

"Lucille Love", series No. 7, with Grace Cunard and Francis Ford, two reels. Coming Wednesday.

THE HERALD HEARS

That Portsmouth escaped the bad part of the storm on Friday.

That the Old Home Week decorations got a good washing at Dover on Friday.

That the colors of a well known Penhallow street business man have been lowered.

That he has for several years been throwing bouquets at himself for crib playing.

That his last trip to Badger's Island tells the story.

That he didn't have a look in against the Kittery champion.

That he will try to come back once more.

That the S. P. C. A. took some horses from a circus that recently exhibited at Concord.

That the second game between the P. A. C. and the Conord team will be played Aug. 29 at Concord.

That Edgar J. Beach, the noted crook, appears to have slipped one to the authorities.

That the Boston and Maine is planning to do away with several roundhouses on the system?

That this does not include those at large stations.

That the engine house in this city needs to be enlarged.

That ex-Mayor Barry of Nashua, a candidate in the primaries for United States senator, has been doing quite a bit of campaigning in this city.

That somebody must have booted that Panama lid of Charles Granville Asay from the ring.

HERALD HEARS

That the authorities are putting the lid on tight at Salisbury Beach.

That booze and chance games have been tabooed at that summer resort.

That the district police are taking a hand in the reform move.

That the Elks are becoming very enthusiastic over the coming anniversary on Sept. 17.

That a woman's interest is never aroused as when she finds a man who won't explain things.

That a man is often heard giving credit to his wife but when he gets home she usually demands cash and gets it.

That it will take over $30,000 to pay the trainmen of the Boston and Maine the back pay due them.

That somebody ought to work up a good slogan for the electric signs to be erected by the Board of Trade.

That local sports are asking why the barbers have not appeared on the baseball diamond this season.

That they cannot imagine that Capt. Charles Oliver will let the season go by without taking a fall out of the wine clerks.

That the gang would like to see Charles and his team once more in uniform, win or lose.

That spotters are doing things on the Boston and Maine.

That the members of the clerical force in one of the divisions at the navy yard have gone to camp.

That their frineds say they are certainly doing the Joe Knowles stunt in and around Great Bay.

That a certain young lady is credited with making quite a hit among the spectators at one of the Sunset League games.

That she asked her gentleman friend why the pitcher made all the motions with his arms before he threw the ball to the catcher.

That she was told by her friend that those moves were signals to the catcher and that the two men worked in concert.

That she then remarked "Dear me! is that the concert pitch I've heard so often."

That Dover will look spic and span next week.

The Granite Monthly for August contains a sketch of Judge Calvin Page, together with illustrations of his residence and grounds at the corner of Middle street and Miller avenue.

IT IS A QUESTION?

Sending Out Primary Ballots Puzzles State Officials.

The force engaged in the publication of the official primary ballots are in somewhat of a quandary as to how they are to get them into the hands of the election officials in all the towns and wards of the state.

Heretofore they have been handled by the American Express company and to such places as the company did not have offices they were sent forward by stage or by the rural mail carrier.

Under the parcel post law, rural carriers cannot accept anything for carriage that is mailable, and the secretary of state cannot take advantage of the parcel post law, because the packages have to be sealed.

This brings them in as first class matter mailable at two cents per ounce or fraction thereof, which would make the cost prohibitive, but under the rules and regulations of the department governing that class of matter anything offered which weighs more than four pounds is unmailable.

The clerks in charge of the ballots have got that far with the proposition and whatever the solution of the problem it has got to come quickly as the law prescribes the time for the reception of the ballots by the election officials, and the primary comes one week from next Tuesday.

"THAT AFFAIR AT PORTSTEAD MANOR"

One of the most pleasing detective stories of this season is "That Affair at Portstead Manor," by Gladys Edson Locke.

The story does not follow the trend of most detective stories but in its difference lies its charm.

The story depicts the troubles and embarrassments of an amateur detective working against a charming and widely experienced woman detective.

The reviewer is sure that all lovers of intensely interesting detective stories that contain a real mystery will certainly enjoy this one.

At present Miss Locke is sojourning at the Ocean Wave House, North Rye Beach, where she is deeply engaged in preparing data for many more interesting books.

AUTOMOBILE SKIDS

Owing to the extremely slippery roadway an automobile coming down Middle street on Friday skidded and struck a granite post on the corner of Middle and Lawrence streets, loosening the post so that it fell partly over. The machine shot up on the sidewalk and onto the lawn of B. F. Mugridge. Four squares of the granolithic sidewalk were broken up and the lawn badly torn up. On the automobile the windshield was broken and the running board and fender smashed up. The machine bore the Maine license number 832 and contained a gentleman and two ladies.

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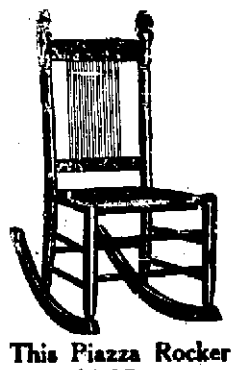

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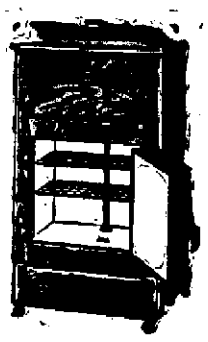

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